

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: KUMAR *et al.*

Confirmation No. 7133

Application No.: 10/549,890

Group Art Unit: 1626

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For: PROCESS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF ATORVASTATIN CALCIUM IN  
AMORPHOUS FORM

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notification of Defective Response dated April 5, 2010, authorization I is hereby made to charge \$544.00 for additional claim fees, along with any other required fees for this matter, to Deposit Account No. 50-0912.

Applicants acknowledge a previous payment of \$600.00 will be applied to the \$1144 total of additional fees due.

Respectfully submitted,

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